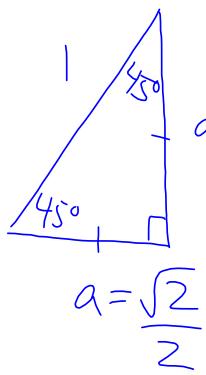


4.2 The Unit Circle cont.²

Sketch a right-isosceles triangle
with a hypotenuse of 1.



$$a = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$a^2 + a^2 = 1^2$$

$$2a^2 = 1$$

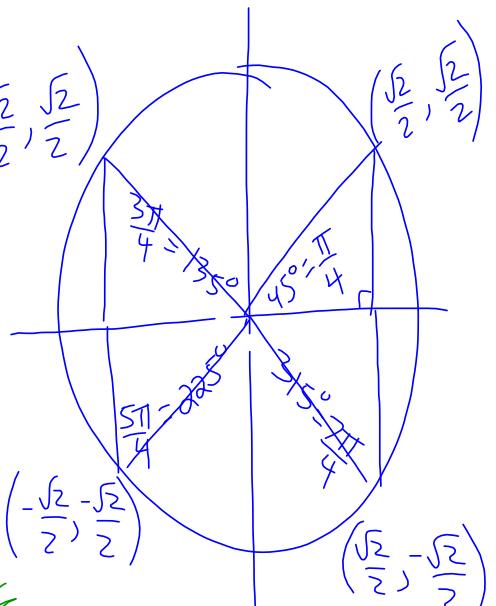
$$a^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$a = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

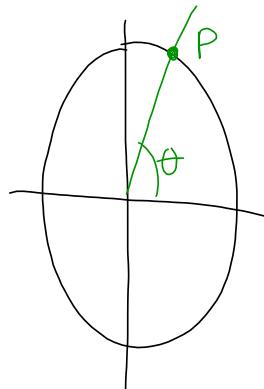
$$a = +\frac{\sqrt{1}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= +\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= +\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$



Textbook notation



$P(\theta)$ - point P is at the intersect of the terminal arm of θ and the unit circle.

ex) Find $P(\pi/3)$. $(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})$

ex) For $P(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$ find θ . $210^\circ, \frac{7\pi}{6}$

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